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Recess: The House recessed 3:49 p.m. and reconvened at 5:35 p.m. Page H256

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Holocaust Days of Remembrance: H. Con. Res. 325, Permitting the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for a ceremony as part of the commemoration of the days of remembrance of victims of the Holocaust;

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Tom Bliley Post Office, Richmond, Virginia: H.R. 1748, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 805 Glen Burnie Road in Richmond, Virginia, as the "Tom Bliley Post Office Building;" Pages H242–46

Bob Davis Post Office, St. Ignace, Michigan: H.R. 2577, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 310 South State Street in St. Ignace, Michigan, as the "Bob Davis Post Office Building;" Pages H245-47

Commending President Pervez Musharraf of Pakistan: H. Con. Res. 324, commending President Pervez Musharraf of Pakistan for his leadership and friendship and welcoming him to the United States;

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Radio Free Afghanistan: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2998, to authorize the establishment of Radio Free Afghanistan (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 421 yeas to 2 nays, Roll No. 15) clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H250-51, H264-65

Crash of Transporte Aereo Militar Ecuatoriano Flight 120: H. Con. Res. 313, Expressing the sense of Congress regarding the crash of Transporte Aereo Militar Ecuatoriano (TAME) Flight 120 on January 28, 2002; Pages H251-53

Assistance to the Homeless: H.R. 3699, to revise certain grants for continuum of care assistance for homeless individual and families (agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 421 yeas with none voting "nay," Roll No. 16); and

Pages H253-54, H265-66

National Child Passenger Safety Week: H. Con. Res. 326, commending the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration for their efforts to remind parents and care givers to use child safety seats and seat belts when transporting children in vehicles and for sponsoring National Child Passenger Safety Week.

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Consideration of Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act: The House agreed to H. Res. 344, the rule providing for consideration of H.R. 2356, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide bipartisan campaign reform by voice vote. Pursuant to Sec. 6, H. Res. 203 was laid on the table.

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Subsequently agreed to the Reynolds unanimous consent request that during consideration of the Bipartisan Campaign Reform Act, pursuant to H. Res. 344, the Chair shall alternate recognition to offer the amendments specified in section 3 between the Majority Leader, or his designee, and Representative Shays or Representative Meehan, or a designee of either, in the following order only:

Majority Leader for one amendment; Representatives Shays or Meehan for one amendment; Majority Leader for two amendments in sequence; Representatives Shays or Meehan for one amendment; Majority Leader for two amendments in sequence; Representatives Shays or Meehan for one amendment; Majority Leader for two amendments in sequence; Representatives Shays or Meehan for one amendment; Majority Leader for two amendments in sequence; Representatives Shays or Meehan for one amendment; and Majority Leader for one amendment; and Majority Leader for one amendment; and

Under section 3(a) of H. Res. 344, a Member listed in section 3(b) may designate another member to announce, in accordance with section3(c), the intention to offer any amendment allotted to him under section 3(b).

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Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H233.

Referral: S. 1206 was held at the desk.

Amendments: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H285–H335.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H264–65 and H265–66. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 12:36 a.m. on Wednesday, February 13, 2002.

Committee Meetings

DOD BUDGET PRIORITIES

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on the Department of Defense Budget Priorities Fiscal Year 2003. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Paul D. Wolfowitz, Deputy Secretary; and Dov S. Zakheim, Under Secretary (Comptroller); and a public witness.

PATRIOT ACT OVERSIGHT

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled "PATRIOT Act Oversight: Investigating Patterns of Terrorist Financing." Testimony was heard from Juan C. Zerate, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Terrorism and Violent Crime, Office of Enforcement, Department of the Treasury; Mary Lee Warren, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

ACCOUNTABILITY FOR PRESIDENTIAL GIFTS

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs held a hearing on "Accountability for Presidential Gifts." Testimony was heard from William H. Taft IV, Legal Advisor, Department of State; and public witnesses.

CYBER SECURITY ENHANCEMENT ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on H.R. 3482, Cyber Security Enhancement Act of 2001. Testimony was heard from John G. Malcom, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—NATIONAL FORESTS—ECO-TERRORISM AND LAWLESSNESS

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health held an oversight hearing on Eco-terrorism and Lawlessness on the National Forests. Testimony was heard from Representatives Walden, Hooley of Oregon, and Nethercutt; James F. Jarboe, Section Chief, Counterterrorism Division, Domestic Terrorism/Counterterrorism Planning Section, FBI, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

EXPORT ADMINISTRATION ACT

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Export Administration Act of 2001. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

CIA'S COUNTERTERRORISM ISSUES

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Sub-committee on Terrorism and Homeland Security met in executive session to hold a hearing on CIA's Counterterrorism Issues. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST of February 7, 2002, p. D73)

- S. 1762, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish fixed interest rates for student and parent borrowers, to extend current law with respect to special allowances for lenders. Signed on February 8, 2002. (Public Law 107–139)
- S. 1888, to amend title 18 of the United States Code to correct a technical error in the codification of title 36 of the United States Code. Signed on February 8, 2002. (Public Law 107–140)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2002

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Personnel, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Defense, focusing on active and reserve military and civilian personnel programs, 9:30 a.m., SR–232A.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on the Budget: to continue hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2003 and revenue proposals, 10 a.m., SD-608.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold hearings to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2003 for the Environmental Protection Agency, 9:30 a.m., SD–406.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine sectoral trade disputes, focusing on lumber and steel, 1:30 p.m., SD-215.

Full Committee, business meeting to mark up an original bill establishing energy tax incentives, 4 p.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine future efforts in the U.S. bilateral and multilateral response, focusing on halting the spread of HIV/AIDS, 10:15 a.m., SD—419.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, Restructuring and the District of Columbia, to hold hearings to examine the implementation and enforcement of the Kimberly Process Agreement (to ban the source of income from illicit diamonds), 9:30 a.m., SD–342.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine the limits of existing laws, focusing on protection against genetic discrimination, 2 p.m., SD-430.

Committee on Indian Affairs: to hold oversight hearings on the implementation of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act, 2 p.m., SR-485.